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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small>		<b>Attorney Docket No.</b> 249212023300
		<b>First Inventor</b> James J. KUHAR
Title		BUCKLER ASSEMBLY HAVING A DRIVE LEADER SENSOR IN A TAPE DRIVE
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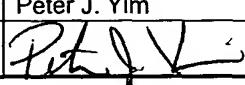
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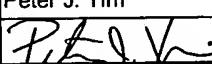
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1003	2003	520	260	Plant filing fee	
1004	2004	750	375	Reissue filing fee	
1005	2005	160	80	Provisional filing fee	
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